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RESOLUTION No. _____**

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Chatard High School football team on its Class 3A state championship.

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A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION congratulating the Bishop Chatard High School football team on its state championship.

Whereas, For the second consecutive year, Bishop Chatard High School of Indianapolis defeated South Bend St. Joseph's to win the Class 3A state football championship;

Whereas, The victory was the Trojans' 11th state football title, which is also the most football titles won by any Indiana high school;

Whereas, On the road to the state championship, the Trojans won their 11th consecutive sectional championship and 11th consecutive regional championship;

Whereas, The Trojans finished the 2011 season at 13-2, scoring 521 points while holding their opponents to 163 points;

Whereas, Senior quarterback and co-captain Max Van Vliet overcame torn anterior cruciate ligaments in both knees to lead the Trojans, throwing 28 touchdown passes, rushing for another six touchdowns, and throwing only seven interceptions;

Whereas, Max VanVliet, who maintains a 4.04 grade point average, ranks 17th in his senior class of 180 students, and is a member of the National Honor Society, won the Phil N. Eskew Mental Attitude Award for Class 3A, the second consecutive Trojan to win this honor in this class;



Whereas, Seniors Myles Malone-Wright, Andrew Ciresi, Sam Giudice, Daniel Sahm, Max VanVliet, Ryan Kleinschmidt, Nick Traub, Greg Wood, Elijah Evans, Ben Paugh, Joe Sullivan, Chris Shrack, Andy McGinnis, Brent Kelly-Hooks, Zach Burns, Alex Bill, Okenna Oruche, Will Naddy, Jordan Penry, Kyle Sprunger, Daniel Bowes, Dan Buhler, Luke McHugh, Ben Wagner, Sid Anvoots, Chris Goetz, Max Polak, Aaron Hepp, Alex Ney, Daniel Wagner, Daniel Scheidler, Sean Blanford, and Matt Hurrle helped to guide and support the underclassmen throughout the season;

Whereas, Head Coach Vince Lorenzano, supported by talented and dedicated assistant coaches, has guided five of his teams to a state championship title in eight years as Trojans head coach;

Whereas, The Trojans were cared for by committed professional physicians, trainers, and student trainers;

Whereas, The Trojans were enthusiastically supported by the student body, faculty, administrators, parents and families, and the entire Bishop Chatard community; and

Whereas, An outstanding achievement such as this deserves special recognition: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,
the Senate concurring:*

- 1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly congratulates the
- 2 Bishop Chatard Trojans on their Class 3A state football championship
- 3 and wishes them continued success both on and off the field.
- 4 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
- 5 Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to all team members
- 6 and managers, assistant coaches Clifford Brooks, Rob Doyle, Matt
- 7 Jennings, Kevin King, Travis Lucas, John Norris, Jimmy Pappas, Nick
- 8 Svarczkopf, Kevin Shine, Nate Vannice, David Whittemore, and Todd
- 9 Finnell, head coach Vince Lorenzano, athletic director Mike Ford,
- 10 assistant athletic director Mike Harmon, principal Dr. John Atha, and
- 11 superintendent of Catholic Schools for the Archdiocese of Indianapolis
- 12 Ron Costello.

